

Town Crier

of
Wilmington

16TH YEAR - NO. 51

WILMINGTON, MASS., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1971

FIFTEEN CENTS



I WROTE AND TOLD SANTA THAT
NOT ONLY HAVE YOU BEEN GOOD
ALL YEAR, BUT YOUR CONDUCT HAS
BEEN MORALLY IMPECCABLE
AND BEYOND
REPROACH!

Merry Christmas!
from Judy Pierce

& Her Gang at
The Town Crier

WHAT THE OLD BUZZARD
DOESN'T KNOW WON'T
HURT HIM.

SANTA HELPED SING JINGLE BELLS



SANTA CLAUS: On his busy rounds about Wilmington, stopped off at the meeting of Girl Scouts of Junior Troop 389, on December 21st, to distribute a few presents. The girls were meeting in the Congregational Church, and Santa liked it so much he stayed for some of the songs, and even joined in on the singing of Jingle Bells. Helen Bailey played the guitar.

1972 Taxes Up \$1.75 predicted by Morris

Town Manager Sterling Morris seems to have pulled a rabbit out of the hat.

After predictions by various town officials, and by officials of the Chamber of Commerce about a \$10 increase in taxes in 1972, Morris, yesterday afternoon, predicted that the tax rate would increase only \$1.75.

He did add the word 'hopefully' - Hopefully the Town Meeting will follow his recommendations - hopefully the expected added monies from the Commonwealth will arrive - hopefully a few more things.

Morris does have a few things in last summer, one of them being funds over that of last year, plus his favor that were not apparent a \$700,000 increase in available a larger increase than was ex-

pected in new construction - which means a larger tax base.

New construction for the year is expected to total about \$4.3 millions, which is larger than was thought last summer. In the new construction are 84 homes, plus an addition to the Sweetheart Plastics plant, the new DuPont building on Fordham Road, new construction on Industrial Way, and the new Youth Hockey Skating Rink.

Hopefully, there will be only a \$1.75 increase in taxes in 1972.

The Archbishop's Visit

The Most Reverend Humberto S. Medeiros, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston was the Principal Celebrant, at the Con-celebrated Commemorative Mass, on December 11th, in memory of the late Father Edmund C. Croke, Pastor of St. Thomas Church. Con-celebrants with Archbishop Medeiros were the Rev. Ernest F. Pearsall, Pastor of St. Thomas; Rev. Thomas J. Croke, Pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel of Quincy; Rev. Edmund L. Parker, Assistant Pastor of St. Thomas; Rev. James Cain, O.S.A., of New Hamburg, N.Y.; Rev. Thomas V. Daily, Secretary to the Archbishop; and the Rev. Francis W. Mackin, Assistant Pastor of St. Thomas.

Father Daily was the Master of Ceremonies, with Father Mackin being the assistant.

The chalice, used in the Mass, was that of the first priest from St. Thomas Parish, the Rev. Augustine McMahon, who was ordained on March 22, 1918, and who died on September 5, 1937. It had been given to Father Mackin by Miss Elizabeth McMahon, sister of Father McMahon.

There was a presentation to the Archbishop of a Scholarship Fund in memory of Father Croke, for the education of a seminarian at the St. John's Seminary in Brighton. The presentation was made by John D. Brooks, President of St. Thomas Parish Council.



IN THE K OF C HALL: Which was dedicated by the Archbishop in memory of the late Fr. Edmund C. Croke. L to R: Al MacMullin, Grand Knight; Robert Capello of North Reading, District Deputy; Fr. Francis Mackin; the Most Rev. Humberto Medeiros, Archbishop of Boston; and John Quinn, former District Deputy, who was in charge of the dedication ceremonies. Jamesway Studio, Wilmington

Large Call for Jurors

Nine Wilmington residents were called for Jury Duty in last week's Selectmen's Meeting, an unusually large number. Four of those called were for special venire. Criminal, in Lowell, and another for a special venire. Criminal in Cambridge.

Drawn for Jury Pool, Cambridge, starting Jan. 3rd were Catherine McCue, 12 Lawrence St., and Lawrence F. Comeau of 29 Shady Lane Drive. Drawn for the Jury Pool in Lowell was Robert J. Callahan of 43 Boutwell Street.

NEARLY 800 GIFTS

Gifts, to hospitalized veterans, from the Wilmington Post 136 of the American Legion, this year totaled nearly 800. They were principally distributed to Veterans in the Veterans Hospital in Bedford and in Jamaica Plain, and to Veterans in the Tewksbury Hospital.

REINCARNATION

In some bright eon long ago, I'm sure we must have met. Such boundless love as yours and mine. A year could not beget. J.E. Jay

WINTER CARNIVAL ICE SHOW

Thursday, Dec. 30 - 7-8 pm
YOUTH ICE ARENA
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There will be an Open House, on Monday, Dec. 27, at 7:30 pm., in the Recreation Department quarters at the Mildred Rogers School.

The Open House is to honor Ken Zucker, the resigning Recreation Director.

This will be the final opportunity for the people of this town to say Thank You, for an outstanding recreation program, that he initiated in the Town of Wilmington.

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Field Hockey Season Victorious



WILMINGTON HIGH'S GIRL'S FIELD HOCKEY TEAM: Became the Merrimack Valley Conference Champions this year. Shown above, wearing their new jackets, presented by the Booster's Club at the Booster's Championship Banquet at Rocco's last Tuesday are: L to R, Coach Cassidy, All-Stars, Joan Bellissimo, Patty Pintrach and Carol Cipriani (Co-Capt.) and Coach CGaripay.



THE BOOSTER'S CHAMPIONSHIP BANQUET: For the Wilmington High School Girls' Field Hockey Team (this year's Merrimack Valley Conference Champions) was held last Tuesday at Rocco's. Shown above are Co-Captains, Kathy Gillis (left) and Carol Cipriani (right). The girls are wearing the new jackets just presented to them by the Boosters. The beaming gentleman in the center is Jack Cushing, President of the Booster's Association.

The Wilmington High Girl's Field Hockey Team became the Merrimack Valley Conference Champions this fall. The girls compiled an undefeated 5-0-2 record.

The major objectives of the season were acquisition of advanced skills and techniques and developing team work from eleven team members. By mid-season, the girls began to trust, with confidence, the skill of each team mate. This was demonstrated by the 5-1 victory over Dracut in which 5 different players scored goals. The Dracut score was the only goal given up by the Wilmington defense during the entire seven game season.

The team will lose its senior co-captains, Kathy Gillis and Carol Cipriani, an all-conference selection. Ten varsity players including all-conference stars Patti Pintrach and Joan Bellissimo, should return in September.

If another conference title is to return to Wilmington, these girls must return prepared to work hard, for there is still much to learn.

Boy's Hoopsters Split

The boy's varsity quintet opened their 71-72 season with a convincing 71-51 over Lynnfield last Friday night behind the 21 point scoring outburst of co-captain Jim Maxwell.

Coach DiSarcina's boys started slow building up a 25-21 halftime lead. But the Wildcats came on strong in the 3rd and 4th periods, outscoring Lynnfield 23-15 in each stanza, with Maxwell, Paul Ritchie and Phil Morrissey leading the way. Good rebounding by Mike Rounds and Hank Landry along with fine defensive efforts by Bob Conlin and Wayne Crowell (filling in for Bob Noel, who was sick with the flu) contributed to the win.

Cliff Clark and Mark Nelson chipped in with several key baskets and Dave McLean did a good job spelling both Maxwell and Conlin in the backcourt. The game was relatively sloppy at the start, but the Wildcats settled down in the second half to post their initial win. Coach DiSarcina was generally pleased with a good defensive effort by the squad.

Coach Milley's javees posted a 46-27 victory in the preliminary with Gary Smith leading the way with 10 points. Bob and Doug

Stewart chipped in with eight apiece to aid the cause. Tuesday afternoon at Bedford, the varsity suffered a tough 68-59 loss to the Buccaneers. The first half was tight as the spread was one or two points either way and at half time Bedford was on top, 35-24. The home five engaged in the third period outscoring the Wildcats, 22-12 for a commanding 67-36 lead.

In the final stanza the varsity bounced back to score 22 points compared to 21 by Bedford, but their rally fell short. Senior guard Bob Conlin turned in an excellent performance scoring 20 points, including 8 of 9 free throw attempts. Again some good rebounding by Rounds and Morrissey along with the floor play of Bob Noel and co-captain Maxwell nearly pulled the game out. But Conlin sat out the final period with four personal fouls and co-captain Ritchie was forced to the bench in the 3rd frame with four fouls.

The junior varsity also came up short, losing 52-39 to the Bedford javees. Bob Stewart led all scorers with 14 points, while Doug Stewart hit for 8.

Girl's Basketball

The female Wildcat hoop squad was awarded a win over Chelmsford last Friday in their league opener as the girls from Chelmsford failed to make an appearance at the game.

Tuesday it was another story altogether as Coach Daduly's varsity went ice cold in the second half after leading 26-24 at half time. Tewksbury went on to outscore our girls in the second half 27-7 to provide the margin of victory in a 43-23 Tewksbury win.

Joan Bellissimo was the top point getter for our girls hitting for eight points, while co-captain Betty Knoll tossed in 5. The javees also lost, this time by a 26-8 score.

Varsity Hockey

RED DEVILS BURN ICEMEN

The varsity hockey sextet was literally skating off the ice in their league opener last Saturday at the Forum as Burlington slammed Coach Fessenden's boys 6-0. The Red Devils maintained a wide 43-6 shots on net advantage and if it were not for the fine goal tending of senior Bob Zwahlen the score may have been much higher.

Figure Skating Exhibition

The Wilmington Figure Skating Club will offer its first exhibition on Thursday, December 30th from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Youth Ice Arena, 33 Upton Court.

Members will demonstrate the progress made and the 1971 Silver Dance Medalists will be on hand as an added attraction.

As the event is being held in conjunction with the local Winter Carnival, there will be no charge for admission.

The show is sanctioned by the U.S. Figure Skating Association.

HOCKETOWN U.S.A. EXPANDING

On the eve of its fifth anniversary, Hocketown, U.S.A., presently located at Franklin Square, Melrose, announced the beginning of construction on three more ice skating surfaces, to be known as Hocketown III, IV, and V.

All three will be regulation hockey rinks located in a 30,000 square foot building on Route 1 in Saugus, next to the Hiltop Restaurant. Completion of construction of the Saugus facility is

expected in March of 1972. It is hoped that more ice time will be available for figure skating. Bookings of any ice time are now being taken and instructors and personnel are needed to conduct schools at the five rinks.

Not including junior varsity high school leagues, over 200 hockey teams are now playing on the present rinks. It is hoped that the new installation will adequately take care of league expansions as well as offer recreational and figure skating to the general public.

Town League Basketball

OPENERS LAST SATURDAY

In the divisional openers last Saturday at the high school gym, the Patriots topped the Chiefs, 15-10. The Chargers romped over the Raiders, 20-11 behind a four-point scoring outburst by Chris Round, and in the third junior game, Coach Leverone's Broncos whipped the Jets, 19-4.

Senior play saw the Celtics edge the Royals, 29-26 in overtime, while the Pistons dropped the Knicks, 36-30 and the Lakers belted the Bulls, 39-20. Top point getters for the afternoon were: Steve Daniell, Lakers, with 23; Bob Burns, Pistons had 16 and Bob Stewart of the Celtics and Gary Smith of the Royals each hit for 11.

The league resumes play on Thursday, December 30th with six games on tap at the school gym, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Snowbird Hoop Tourney

The Super-Stars whipped Wilmac, 53-40 to cap the championship of the Snowbird Basketball Festival last Thursday evening. In the third place consolation encounter, Newhouse Builders behind Deloury Construction, 66-58.

In the semi-final games played on Wednesday, December 15th at the high school, Wilmac exploded in the last five minutes of their game with Deloury to whip George Hanna's quintet, 72-60 and the Super-Stars defeated Dave Newhouse's five.

Most of the players in the tourney will be playing in the Town League when it opens in a couple of weeks.

Youth Hockey

The Squirt Division Bears continued on their winning ways last weekend as Jim Limban's sextet, shut-out the Aces, 5-0 for their seventh straight seasonal win. In other Squirt action, the Braves moved into second place with a 4-1 icing of the lovelly Voyagers, while the Americans edged the Reds, 3-2 and the Clippers clipped the

Barons, 3-1.

The Blazers defeated the Blades, 5-2 to move into sole possession of first place in the Sprite loop. And the Rockets topped the Checkers, 3-1. In Pe Wee action, the Flyers battled the Seals to a 5-5 draw and the Blues knotted the North Stars, 2-2.

In the Bantam set, Coach Fairweather's Bruins slammed the Canadians, 7-0, while the Red Wings defeated the Rangers, 4-2 to maintain their hold on first place. Tonight at the Youth Arena the regular weekly clinic will take place, beginning at 4 o'clock for boys eight years old and under, followed by the nine and older youths at 5 p.m.

Upcoming games:

Tonight: Squirts - Reds vs. Bears (6:00); Braves vs. Americans (6:40); Aces vs. Clippers (7:20).

Friday: Bantams - Canadians vs. Red Wings (11:30 a.m.); Bruins vs. Rangers (12:30 p.m.).

Sunday: Sprites - Blazers vs. Rockets (5:00 a.m.); Blades vs. Checkers (5:40 a.m.); Squirts - Barons vs. Voyagers (6:20 a.m.).

Monday: Pee Wees - Flyers vs. Kings (12:50 p.m.); Seals vs. North Stars (1:50 p.m.).

No-Check Hockey

The surging Aces moved out of the cellar in WAHL play with a pair of wins in their two most recent outings. On Thursday, December 16th, Deaneau's sextet trounced the floundering Jets, 14-5. Kevin Sullivan, with 4 goals paced the Aces, while Ed Buckley (3), Jim Jillette (3) and Jim Meekhan (2) were multiple goal scorers in the onslaught. Daee Carion was the lone offensive bright spot for the Jets, firing home three goals.

In last Thursday's other encounter, the Blues extended their most recent win streak to five with a 6-3 triumph over the Flyers. Lance Walden and Pete Pellerin chipped in with a pair of goals each to provide Newhouse's league leaders with their margin of victory.

Monday evening at the Youth Arena the Aces topped the Flyers, 9-4 and the Blues ripped the Jets, 15-1. Buckley was the guiding light for the upstart Aces, who were winning their fourth in their last six outings, slamming home four goals. Lance Walden with five goals and Pete Emery with four paced the Blues to their sixth consecutive win.

Upcoming games at the Arena:

Tonight: Jets vs. Flyers (11:20 p.m.); Aces vs. Blues (12:30 a.m.).

Monday: Aces vs. Jets (10:40 p.m.); Flyers vs. Blues (11:50 p.m.).

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NEXT WILDCAT ENCOUNTERS

Tonight: Boy's Basketball at Weston (J.V. & varsity at 6:30).

Friday: Varsity hockey vs. Mascomet, 4:00 at Forum.

Wednesday: Varsity hockey vs. Tewksbury, 2:45 at Forum.

HOW THEY STAND

Youth Hockey - Intermural League	
Bantam Division	
Red Wings	6-0-1
Bruins	4-1-2
Canadians	1-5-1
Rangers	0-5-2
Pee Wee Division	
Blues	2-4-4
Seals	3-2-2
Flyers	2-1-2
No. Stars	2-2-2
Kings	0-5-0
Squirt Division	
Bears	7-0-0
Braves	4-2-2
Aces	3-0-3
Americans	3-1-1
Reds	3-4-0
Barons	2-4-1
Clippers	2-5-0
Voyagers	1-4-0
Sprite Division	
Blazers	4-1-2
Blades	3-2-2
Rockets	3-1-1
Checkers	1-5-1

Adult Hockey

Blues	13-2-0
Flyers	7-4-0
Aces	5-4-1

Adult Hockey

Blues	13-2-0
Flyers	7-4-0
Aces	5-4-1
Jets	4-10-1

Town League Basketball

Senior Division	1-0
Junior Division	1-0
Chargers	1-0
Patriots	1-0
Chiefs	0-1
Jets	0-1
Raiders	0-1



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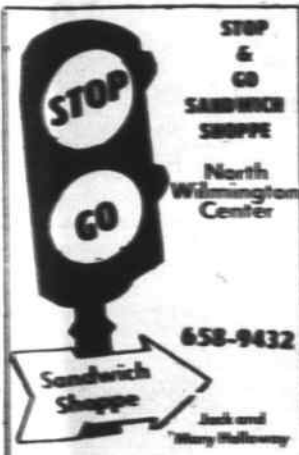
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Births

BOUTWELL: Michelle, second child, second daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Earle Boutwell of 175 First Street Melrose on December 5th at Melrose-Wakefield Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Walter Surette of 69 Taplin Avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boutwell of 33 Columbia Street.

BRYN: Robert Livingston, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Bryn of Havelock, No. Carolina, on September 16th.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Suggs of 402 Shawheen Avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Bryn of Westford.

CARTER: Kelli Marie, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Carter of Union St., Melrose, on November 16th at Melrose-Wakefield Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. John H. MacMonagle of Union Street, Melrose and Mrs. Edith Carter of Fairview Avenue, Wilmington.

DODGE: Kerry Lynn, fourth child, third daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dodge of 61 Chestnut Street, on November 23rd at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Franklin R. Eshback of Winchester and Mrs. Pauline Gerbick, also of Winchester.

GOLISANO: Maria, to Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Golisano of 10 Emerson Street on December 6th at New England Memorial Hospital.

LEPORE: Christopher Jude, second child, second son to Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Lepore of 201 Woburn Street, Reading.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. John Boughman of 21 Prospect Street, Malden, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lepore of Adams Street, Wilmington.

MARSI: John Joseph to Mr. and Mrs. John Marisi of 831 Main St., on December 13th at Choate Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents include Mrs. Marion Murphy of Pinkham Place, Lynn and Mrs. Joseph Lisacki of 133 Spring Court Ext., Woburn.

MENALLY: Todd Francis, third child, second son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. McNally of 7 State St., on December 9th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. John Iverson of 287 Shawheen Ave., and Mrs. Evelyn McNally of Highland Avenue, Winchester.

MOULTON: Derek John, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd D. Moulton of Reading on December 14th at Choate Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons of Lowell St., Reading, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Moulton of 1 Meadow Lane, Wilmington.

POLOIAN: Laura Lee, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Poloian of 272 E. Haverhill Street Lawrence, on November 19th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Campbell of 9 Castlewood Drive, Billerica and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Poloian of 59 Washington Avenue, Wilmington.

Great grandparents are Mrs. George Gillette of Chelsea, Perry Campbell of Cambridge and Mr. and Mrs. William Driscoll of Watertown.

SPIEGEL: Scott David, to Mr. and Mrs. David Spiegel of 4 Countryside Drive, Nashua, N.H., on December 6th at New England Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Varley of Shady Lane Drive and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Spiegel of Broadway, Arlington.

WENTZELL: Daren, sixth child to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wentzell of Swain Road on November 29th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton L. Wentzell of 15 Chapman Avenue.

A Letter to Nancy from Father McNeil

Merry Christmas...and instead of the usual jargon this week, this Gal wants to share with you one of her best Christmas gifts...a letter from Japan from Father John McNeil.....

December 16, 1971

Dear Nancy:

I was delighted to receive your very nice Christmas greeting last week and am most grateful for your thoughtfulness. During my six years at St. Dorothy's I made many friends throughout the town and enjoy hearing about what's going on back home.

Japan has been my home for the past five months following a tour at the Naval Training Center in Orlando, Florida. Dealing with young recruits was, indeed, a challenge but I'll have to say that the Land of the Rising Sun is a bit more exciting.

Our activity is located about 900 miles south of Tokyo and 50 miles north of Nagasaki. Sometimes I feel we're so remote that I even question whether or not Jerry Rooney found his way this far south on his world-wide tour a few years back.

Being far from the subways and skyscrapers of the world's largest city, Sasebo, is still quite Oriental and very few of the natives speak my mother tongue. The city of Sasebo has some 200,000 inhabitants and is surrounded by beautiful scenery and mountains.

The mountains give us some protection during the typhoon season. The hand of God is evident in Japan's natural beauty! Our nearest neighbor on the Asian mainland is Pusan, Korea which is some 150 miles west of Sasebo. Fr. Drennan could perhaps reach it with a few good five iron shots on a windy day.

The Navy manages to keep me on the go here. Presently I am the only Catholic Chaplain and have a pretty large congregation. I manage to say four Sunday Masses! The work is very much like parish work back in the States with the same type of programs and organizations. Fortunately there is a local convent-mission school staffed by nuns from Australia and Japan and the sisters assist me in the Christian Doctrine

program and are very patiently teaching me Japanese. Through them I have been able to visit many orphanages, homes for retarded children and homes for the aged. Only yesterday, I visited an orphanage located high in the mountains about forty miles from Sasebo. The orphanage is operated by a community of Japanese nuns, whom I'd call 'saints', and houses some three hundred children. After pressing the issues of assistance, I was able to discover that one of the chief needs was diapers for the children. Some 8000 are used daily! Now I'm trying to beg, borrow or steal as many as I can lay my hands on. I could go on forever with stories such as these, but I'm sure you'd soon tire.

Come next February, I plan to spend the eleventh anniversary of my ordination up north in Sapporo at the Winter Olympic Games. I have signed up for a six-day tour and will, of course, lend cheering support to the American team. As they say, 'being there is twice the fun'. Perhaps I should wear something blue and white for television coverage back to Wilmington. However, not to show disloyalty to my former Tewksbury parishioners I'd have to give them equal-time and don something red and blue.

My tour here is to expire in July of 1973 at which time I should find my way back to the States or out to sea riding one of Uncle Sam's ships. In the meantime I'm going to enjoy Japan and the Far East as much as possible. Already I have visions of seeing Hong Kong, Bangkok, Singapore, Taiwan and all of the places that were only names in a geography or history book during my school days. Needless to say, I am taking many pictures and slides that will recall many memories for me in the years to come. I must admit that I have also made many purchases at bargain prices. They say that in the Orient one can go broke saving money on bargains and that quotation has a lot of validity.

Please express my sincere best wishes to my many friends in Wilmington and Tewksbury for

a happy holiday season, and gratitude to those who have sent greetings my way. May God bless all of you!

Sincerely, Fr. John R. McNeil

(Thank you Father for remembering all of us...and let us hear more of those stories about the orphanage and perhaps we can rattle up a few diapers and baby clothes to help...You know Babies are one of this Gal's pet hangups...she certainly does love them...and if they need help, she'll do most anything to get it to them...So, please let us hear more...About time for a new project anyway! And to combine your Tewksbury-Wilmington loyalties, this Gal suggests Red White and Blue...then they'll know you're cheering for the American Team without you telling them also! may God Bless You in your work, and please do take many pictures cause this Gal surely is jealous of all of those sights and is looking forward to the trips thru that viewing! Thanks for taking the time from your busy schedule to write to this one... She certainly appreciates it, because for her People is what Life is all about. Our best for the New Year!)

Now...to All of You Wonderful People here...

The Clan joins me in wishing you all the Happiest of Holidays. We have Nana with us safe and sound, perambulating fairly well, and will keep her as long as possible. Thanks to the many that have expressed their concern to this Gal...and Peace and Love to you all. See you next week...Meanwhile... Love va!

Letter

Dear Larz:

In your Sept. 23rd issue, I noticed that on your front page you ran pictures of the Town Park and the Glenn Road School after vandals got through with them. You also mentioned a couple of businesses which were also hit.

It's too bad that some people don't realize that they aren't hurting just a few people, but all of the people who live in Wilmington, who use these places and who pay taxes. The businesses that were hit, get a double dose. For one thing they have to shell out for damages done to their buildings, plus they also pay taxes which are used to cover cost of damages done in Wilmington.

The person, or persons who caused these damages should realize the trouble they have caused at other's expense. Who ever they are, or where they are

from, I hope that they stop or are stopped before things get out of hand.

I also hope that if anyone knows who, or sees any form of destruction to public or private property, reports these actions because they might end up paying for it in the end.

Sincerely,

LWCN Kenneth Bedell
Box 25 Adak, Alaska
F.P.O. Seattle, Washington, 48791



CAROL A. NUZZO TO WED
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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nuzzo of 209 Wildwood Street, announce the engagement of their daughter Carol Ann to George A. Clark, Jr., son of George A. Clark, Sr. of Lowell.

Miss Nuzzo graduated from Wilmington High School with the class of 1968 and is presently employed by Compugraphic Corp., on Industrial Way.

Mr. Clark graduated from Lowell High School in 1966 and served with the U.S. Army until 1969. He is also employed by Compugraphic.

A May 27th wedding is planned.

ANNA VISCONTI ON HAND TO WELCOME SENATOR MUSKIE

Miss Anna Visconti of 28 Nassau Avenue, Chairman of the Wilmington Democratic Town Committee was among the 300 invited guests to attend the breakfast reception to welcome Senator Edmund Muskie of Maine at the Parker House Hotel.

Invitations were extended to Democratic party leaders throughout the state by Senate President Kevin Harrington and speaker of the House of Representatives, David Bartley.



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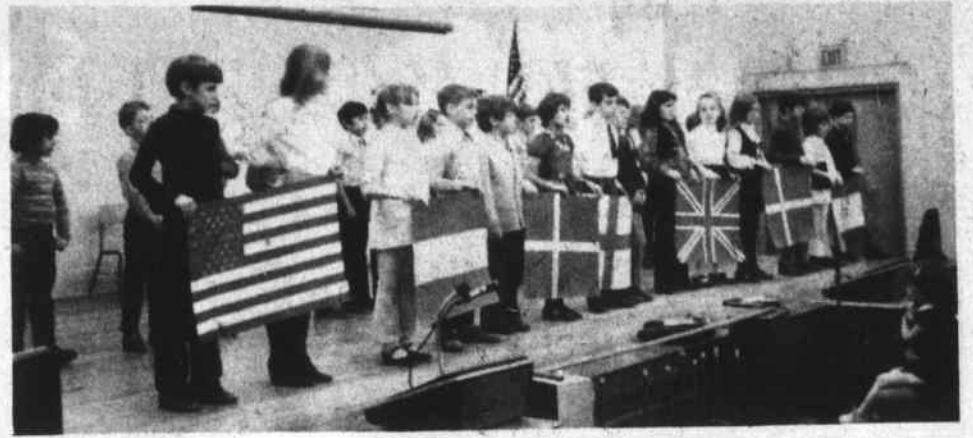
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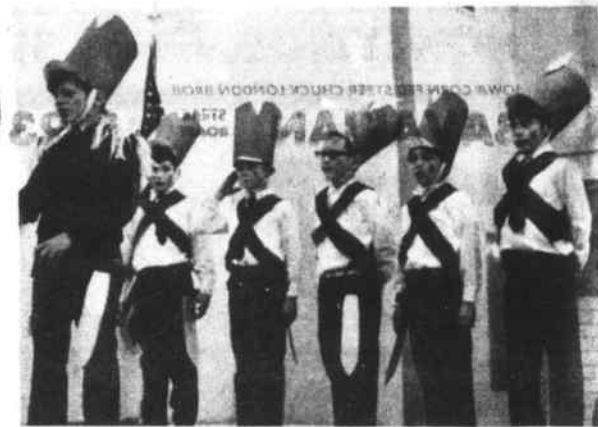
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Planning Board to Submit Six Articles for Town Meeting

The deadline for submission of articles, for the annual Town Meeting has been set at Dec. 31st, and the Wilmington Planning Board has six articles ready. Tuesday night there was a vote to submit them to the Town Meeting.

The articles have been ready for submission for months, and were not submitted to the special town meeting last fall because it was desired at that time to discuss only school expansion.

The wording of the articles are not known, as of this date. One of them has to do with Clubhouses in residential districts. Another seeks to define High Density Zoning as being only in General Business Districts. A third seeks to amend the size of minimum lots in General Business Districts. The minimum size at this time in such land is thirty feet wide. Presumably the article would seek to enlarge the minimum.

The principal subject for discussion, in Tuesday's meeting of the Planning Board was the so-called PUD article - one that will allow several types of housing in Wilmington - row houses, etc., as well as apartment housing. The article as written, is in the wording of a study made some months ago, with some changes.

There was quite a bit of discussion between Bob Leahy, new member and the chairman, Mort Grant.

Leahy objected to the amount of control given to the Board of Appeals, in the proposed zoning. It is "overwhelming," he said, and it appeared to him that the Planning Board did not want to be responsible.

Grant said that "our consultant" (Prof. Eliot) "keeps telling us that the Board of Appeals has the responsibility, and the Planning Board cannot make the decisions." "We have no authority to make those decisions."

Leahy: "The Board of Appeals is just that - a Board of Appeals. Give them the initial power and you are giving it away."

He went on to say that there are innumerable problems, and that he thought that (as written) it was not in the best interest of the town. There are, he said, large areas of non-conformity.

Grant pointed out to Leahy that

there had been hearings and "we have had large imports from everyone who was interested." The basic reason, he said was to get everything (all types) in at once, and give people a chance to make decisions. The PUD article, he said, permits Apartments by itself.

Danny Gillis spoke up to tell Leahy that "I would like to go over that appeal part with you, some night, when we are not busy."

"Instead of just apartments, or just snob zoning, we have everything here," Gillis said. This opened up a brief remark by others on the so-called snob zoning, proposed under Chapter 774 of the Acts of 1969, and now being called simply by that term "774".

Gillis finished up the remarks by saying that 774 can wipe out zoning, wipe out building regulations, wipe out sewerage regulations, wipe out everything.

Chairman Mort Grant: This opens up to the people to make the decision. If we agree with this (article) all we do is to put it in the warrant - we have to have hearings later - we can later eliminate from the warrant anything we want.

Leahy: I think that we should give the people a choice on apartments only.

Grant: We did, in 1966, Planner Sam Snow's recommendations. That for all purposes finished the discussion. The board voted to submit all articles, 5 to 1, with Bill MacKinnon not voting.

Glen Bower, who had worked a long time to make corrections to the PUD article, demanded that he get the time to read his report. Mr. Bower didn't get far. The board was still talking about the PUD article, and Leahy was telling the others that he felt "this goes too far."

Bower started reading aloud. His reading took four minutes. He wants performance guarantees, etc. for the buildings which would be erected under the PUD zoning, the guarantees there would be such items as Occupancy Permits, maintenance of roads in private areas, snow plowing, rubbish removal, etc.

It was agreed that his report should be typed, for all to read at their leisure.

Shopping Center

A week ago the board had listened to a proposal to rezona a 21 acre area of Wilmington for a shopping center. The center would have a supermarket, a large discount store and several variety stores.

Mr. Grant reported that he had a telephone call from the would-be developer.

That gentleman wanted to know the sentiment of the Planning Board, as he didn't want to spend a lot of time and money if the proposal was going to be fought all the way down the line.

Bob Leahy reported that he had walked the area last weekend. Zane Bower said that the present zoning in Wilmington was "strip zoning" and that the consultant was against strip zoning - it's the curse of this town. Maybe. Bower said, this is the answer. How many shopping centers can we have in this town?

Danny Gillis said he "goes along" with Bower on the Strip Zoning. "If we are going to rezone - then let's clean up the whole thing!"

Water Department

Gillis and Bill Hanlon reported on a visit of several weeks ago to the Board of Water Commissioners. The Water Department, they reported, is pumping about 7 million gallons a day, which is about 50% of capacity. "We could go three months without rain".

The Water Commissioners, they said, had not had any ban on lawn watering for five years, but felt that eventually the town would have to join the MDC (water system).

Discussed with the Commissioners was "recirculation" of water, particularly in industrial projects. Hanlon and Gillis reported that "there are well areas that are untapped yet" - and "they really don't know".

The Commissioners, they said, think they are going to have to put in two new standpipes, one in the end of town, and one on Kelly's Hill (where the first standpipe was erected, ed.).

Hanlon said "we made an issue on ground seepage (sewage)". "They didn't think it was much of a problem". Gillis: "We are now pumping out 7 million gallons a day. If we put in municipal sewerage all over town, and push 5 million gallons a day into the ocean, are we going to dry out our land?"

The two men reported that the Water Department now has a \$15,000 contract with the firm of Whitman & Howard, for a computerized study of the Wilmington Water Department. Whitman & Howard are a well known firm of civil engineering, specializing in water systems.

Pyrrhic Victory

In a small way Bob Leahy won a Pyrrhic Victory, in his dispute of last week over a plan of land between Lowell Street and Main Street, at Cross Street. The plan had shown lot lines only. Leahy felt that there was a brook in the area, and that it should be shown on the plan. The other members gave him a week to investigate.

Leahy reported Tuesday that he had not only found a brook, he had found a culvert under Route 38, and a row of trees lining the brook. He felt that the brook and the culvert should be shown on the map. This started an hour discussion.

The Town Engineer pointed out that this was not a plan of a subdivision, nor was it a Land Court plan. For non-registered land which is not part of a subdivision, he said, there are no requirements. The surveyor who had done that work had borrowed plans from the Town's engineering file, state and county maps - "and I would say that 95% of the plans do not show easements."

Leahy said that it concerned him that there are no regulations to show water easements, etc.

The chairman said that the Planning Board could, if it wanted to, make its own regulations on the subject. Gillis said he had always felt that easements should be shown on plans, and moved that a regulation be made requiring it for plans of Wilmington - to "try it for size". The motion was seconded by Leahy.

Town Engineer Harding again spoke up. He told the board that a surveyor had done the work - "you are only signing as a Planning Board".

Mort Grant: We signed a plan for a piece of land near Rickie's Dog House, as a Planning Board, and then the Town Counsel said that

because we had signed that plan the proponents had three years excuse from new zoning!

Danny Gillis called an official of the Mass. Federation of Planning Boards, on the telephone. After a ten minute conversation he reported that the Wilmington Planning Board could only require the easement be shown if it was one of record. On the matter of dimensions being shown on a plan, which he had also brought up, the story was that the board could sign a plan with "without knowledge of lot size" being endorsed therein.

Gillis withdrew his motion, Leahy withdrew his second, and the board signed the plan.

Dunkin Donuts

The board discussed a variance that the Board of Appeals had granted to the planned Dunkin Donuts franchise, on Main Street, opposite Louies. The Board of Appeals has granted three variances for the proposed building - nearly 50% Bower said, for the side and rear, and not as much for the front of the building.

A 50% variance is guaranteed to raise the temperature of Planning Board members, and it did in this case - well, almost.

Bill Hooper noted that the Planning Board had time to protest the decisions. He wanted to take the Board of Appeals to court, to contest the decision. This time he did not get a majority decision, and the case will not go to court.

Danny Gillis was of the opinion that "this thing is going to kill itself off". He likened it to some shopping centers that are being built - "If someone wants to spend some money, and put in some tax base money -"

Hooper: When they bought that lot they knew of the crazy shape of the crazy intersection with Clark Street!

Mort Grant: I agree with you 100% - Gillis: Some guy is going to be stuck!

But they wouldn't vote to try the case. Only MacKinnon and Hooper voted in favor.

The lot of land, on which Dunkin Donuts is to be located also came in for comment. The Town Engineer remarked that it was off a state highway, and that the firm would have to get a permission from the State DPW to get an entrance into their lot.

Zane Bower: They have it already!

Harding: This is a brand new ball game. That entrance they have is for a lot of land that is 1300 feet long. This is a different lot now, and they have to make a new application.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Thurs. Dec. 23rd: 6:30 p.m. Jr High Youth Group Christmas party. A carol sing will follow. All junior high age people are invited.

Fri. Dec. 24th: 6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Service of Carols and Candles. Approximately one hour.

Sun. Dec. 26th: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages; 10:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship. Nursery and Jr. Church: 5:30 p.m. Youth Groups: 7 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship Service.

Please Note: There will be a New Year's Eve Program at the church beginning at 8:30 p.m. with the film, "The Master's Face" followed by refreshments and singing. A service of Communion will commence about 11 p.m.



THEY WERE IN THE WOODS: The Wilmington Highway Department, annoyed that parkers were throwing empty beer bottles into the street, erected two signs last week, warning that a \$100 fine and loss of license could result from a conviction for littering, from an auto.

The signs were erected at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday. Next morning they were not to be seen.

Superintendent of Highways, Bob Palmer, went looking in the woods in back, and found the signs. They were taken back to the shop, and cross bars were welded to the feet of the signs. They they were re-erected, with the base in concrete, near the sand pile.

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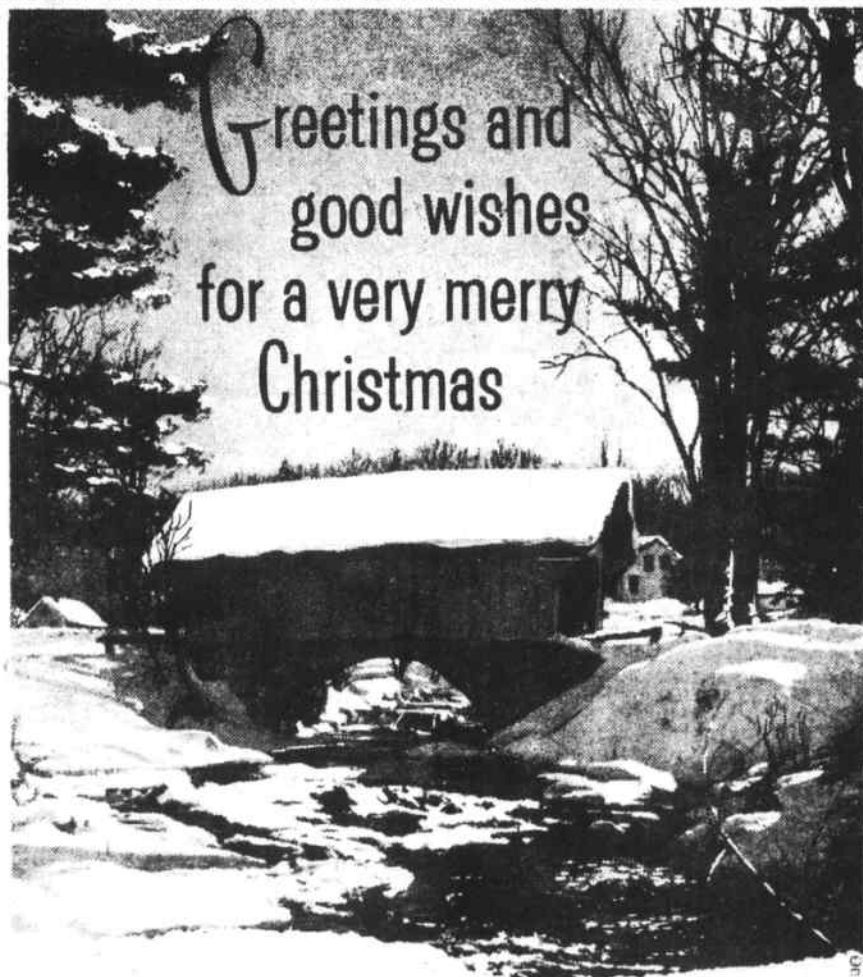
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Before and After the 1903 Fire

Quite a bit of interest was evoked by the story last week of the beginning of Company Two of the Wilmington Fire Department, and the fire at the Gil Harnden home.

To mention one instance, J. Ellis Doucette Jr., the son of one of the members of the North Wilmington group telephoned to say he had some pictures. The Town Crier awaits them. J. Elly, as he was known, was one of the first volunteers, who worked at the North Reading Sanatorium for years, before he retired.

There were more pictures. Stanley Webber brought in the ones shown this week, which were bequeathed to him by Schamiel MacIntosh.

Mr. MacIntosh, the son of Capt. George MacIntosh, was a huge man, a blacksmith, who operated a business at the corner of Church Street and Main Street, and in addition to having a blacksmith shop and paint shop, started a store which is today the Church Street Hardware.

Perhaps there are some people who will comment to the Planning Board about the Sarsaparilla signs on Mr. MacIntosh's place of business.



WILMINGTON SQUARE BEFORE 1903: A Marion Holt photo. The character who is sitting in the snow is not necessarily representative of the people of Wilmington at that time.

The path in the snow, at right angles to the railroad track, is from sleds going from Church Street over the Burlington Avenue Bridge. At left, below the hill, is the Buck Brothers store, run by George Buck, which was a "brother" store to the one in North Wilmington, run by Herbert, shown in last week's Town Crier.

Ames Hall is at right, on what is today the site of the Wilmington Center Pharmacy. The Wilmington Methodist Church first met upstairs in this hall. Further down, near the elm trees, can be seen the two buildings of Mrs. Dr. Hiller, the nearer one being today the home of Bedell Brothers Insurance.



AMES HALL: After the fire.



ANOTHER VIEW OF AMES HALL: Viewed from Church Street, and in the rear. This photo was taken at the time that the Burlington Avenue bridge was lifted about six feet. The excavations in the foreground is a part of that work, i.e. Church Street being graded. The contractor who did the work was the late Herbert Barrows.

(More on Page 13)

HOSPITAL FUND TO BENEFIT FROM SALE OF BOOK

The Wilmington Hospital Building Fund will benefit from the sale of Attorney Philip Buzzell's book, "Stratton Pond and Other Verses".

This would be an ideal sentimental gift.

HAS ANYBODY SEEN MY DOG?

The profit on all books sold at the Wilmington Center Pharmacy will be contributed to the Hospital Building Fund, according to Lillian Woodside, a member of the Hospital Building Fund Committee.

Mr. Buzzell has offered to autograph any books as an added incentive.

Elaine Spence has been unable to find her dog. The Dog Officer, Lillian Woodside, a member of the Silver Lake Hardware Store, dog had been struck in front of the road and identified, the dog disappeared.

If anyone has seen, or taken in an injured dog, please contact Mrs. Elaine Spence at 658-8757.

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If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of January, 1972, the return day of this citation.
Witness William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of December 1971.
John V. Harvey
Recorder

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Carl A. Cady, late of North Reading in the County of Middlesex, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Carl A. Cady, deceased, and for appointment of an executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of January, 1972, the return day of this citation.
Witness William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of December 1971.
John V. Harvey
Recorder

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Albert R. Cameron, late of North Reading, in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Albert R. Cameron, deceased, and for appointment of an executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of January, 1972, the return day of this citation.
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PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.
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A petition has been presented to said Court by Harvey Edward Treedy of Reading in the County of Middlesex representing that he holds as tenant in common one undivided half part or share of certain land lying in North Reading in said County and hereby desired as follows:
A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in North Reading, being Lot B on a plan recorded with Middlesex Ss. Dist. D-20 at the end of Book 476.
Setting forth that he desires that all of said land may be sold at public auction and praying that said land may be made of all the land aforesaid according to law, and to that end that a commissioner be appointed to make such partition and be ordered to make sale and conveyance of all or any part of said land in the Court finds cannot be adjudicated divided either at private sale or public auction, and be ordered to distribute the net proceeds thereof.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 28th day of December 1971, the return day of this citation.
Witness William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 28th day of November 1971.
John V. Harvey
Recorder

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Evelyn Isabella Ross, late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Evelyn Isabella Ross, deceased, and for appointment of an executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of January 1972, the return day of this citation.
Witness William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December 1971.
John V. Harvey
Recorder

13 LOCAL PEOPLE IN FRIENDSHIP LEAGUE

Janine Aderton; Ellen Boisvert; Cheryl Carroll; Beth Higley; Maureen Kaszynski; Charles Kindred; Sarah Eckberg; Denise Scannell; Jean Birkenback; Kathryn Koczerga; Betty Nelson.

Dianne Pumfrey and Alan Smith are all members of the International Friendship League and are reaping many benefits both in knowledge and friendship. Those who enjoy receiving mail...vitaly interesting mail, should, perhaps "join the club". The majority of letter writers

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON
BOARD OF APPEALS
PUBLIC HEARING 1-72
A public hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on Tuesday evening, January 11, 1972 at 8:00 p.m. on the application of Ruth I. Gilbert, 111 Nichols Street, for a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot at 113 Nichols Street (Assessor's Map 36-88) having insufficient frontage, depth and area and obtain a building permit thereon.
Robert E. Jennings, Chmn.
D23.30 Board of Appeals

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Camilla E. Ross, late of North Reading in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Camilla E. Ross, deceased, and for appointment of an executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the tenth day of January 1972, the return day of this citation.
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The Pageant is open to all girls between the ages of 13 and 17 who are residents of the State of Massachusetts, and are United States citizens. There is no entrance fee. The official theme of this year's pageant is "What's Right About America?" Any young ladies desiring to obtain applications may do so by writing the Official Certification Headquarters for the State of Massachusetts, 126 Bunn Drive, Rockton, Illinois, 61072.

OPERATION CACHE

The Navy is now offering a special enlistment program whereby a young man or woman may enlist in the Navy now and stay at home for the next six months.

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The program is especially for young men seeking to fulfill their military obligation. The 180 days spent at home while actually part of the Navy counts toward a man's six year military obligation. It also builds seniority for pay purposes.

For more information on Operation CACHE or any other Navy program, contact Chief Storms at his office at Room 201, Federal Building, Lowell, or call 452-0511.

JOSEPH K. MULLENS HOME ON LEAVE

Joseph K. Mullens, CSSA, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. George K. Mullens, 74 Clark Street is currently on leave from completion of Basic Training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois. Upon completion of leave he will report to Class "A" Commissaryman School, San Diego, for further training.

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Deaths

ARTHUR A. COTE,
34 YEARS A RESIDENT

Arthur A. Cote, of 9 Deming Way, died at the New England Memorial Hospital, Stoneham on Monday after a brief illness.

Mr. Cote, who was 73 years of age at the time of his death, was born in Berlin, N. H., the son of the late Alfred and the late Amanda (Ouellette) Cote. He had resided on Carter Lane for 30 years prior to taking up his residence on Deming Way 4 years ago. Mr. Cote was employed as a pipe fitter by the Mystic Gas Company before his retirement.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Annie E. (Winthrop) Cote, his son Arthur A. Cote of Wilmington, his brother George Cote of New Bedford, his sister Mrs. Alice Vien of Berlin, N.H.; 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street on Wednesday morning at 8:15 followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Thomas Church at 9 which was celebrated by Rev. Father Francis W. MacKin. Burial followed in Wildwood Cemetery. Pall bearers for Mr. Cote were: Daniel Perkins, John Pratt, Paul Cote and Thomas Cote.

MRS. JANE GRAUPNER,
SWAIN SCHOOL TEACHER

Mrs. Jane (Hurley) Graupner of 283 Haverhill St., No. Reading, a member of the Swain School faculty for the past 12 years, passed away on Thursday, December 16th following a brief illness.

Besides her husband, Fred W. Graupner, Mrs. Graupner is survived by two sons, John F. Graupner of Gatesville, Texas and David Graupner of Harwich; two daughters, Mrs. Verberly Ebert of No. Reading and Miss Bonnie Graupner, also of No. Reading;

two brothers, James Hurley of No. Andover and John R. Hurley of No. Conway, N.H. and one grandchild.

Mrs. Graupner had been a resident of No. Reading for the past 18 years, being a native of Wakefield where she graduated from high school. She was also a graduate of Salem State Teacher's College and was treasurer of the Wilmington Teacher's Assn.

Funeral services were held from the Grosvenor Funeral Home on Bow St., No. Reading on Monday.

December 20th with services at St. Theresa's Church. Burial was in the Riverside Cemetery. No. Reading.

HOSPITAL FUND CONTRIBUTIONS

The Wilmington Regional Hospital Building Fund Committee gratefully acknowledges the request of the family of the late Frank R. Baker that in lieu of flowers contributions in his memory may be made to the Wilmington Hospital Building Fund.

Relatives, friends and loved ones remembered this week include:

Frank R. Baker from Grace J. Baker, Chester, Nova Scotia.

Frank R. Baker from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, Chester, Nova Scotia.

Frank R. Baker from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craib (Tewksbury).

Frank R. Baker from William and Thelma Thorne.

Frank R. Baker from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith.

Natalie Marchetti (Somerville) from Mrs. Anita Tower.

Natalie Marchetti (Somerville) from Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Badiali.

Mary Frances Pratt, on her eighth Anniversary in Heaven, lovingly remembered by her Mon, Dad, sisters and brothers.

Mary Alessi (So. Boston) mother of Dr. Frank Alessi, from Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Griffin, Jr.

Mary Alessi, mother of Dr. Frank Alessi, from Joseph Medico.

Helen Whitney, wife of Ed Whitney Sr. (Woburn) from Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smalley.

Anne E. Donovan, lovingly remembered at Christmastime by her son Robert Donovan.

Clara E. Crotty from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blazok (Salem, N.H.).

Clara E. Crotty from The Baldwin Neighborhood of Girl Scouts.

Clara E. Crotty from Walter and Evelyn Kaminski.

Clara E. Crotty from Troop 63, Boy Scouts of America.

Clara E. Crotty from Committee and members of Troop 41, BSA.

J. William (Billy) Babine, lovingly remembered at Christmas by his wife Gladys and Family.

Evelyn I. Swan, from Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Woodside.

Marie Plourde from Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Lawler.

John Quinn, father of Mrs. Richard Burke, lovingly remembered at Christmas by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burke.

Gus J. Burke, father of Mr. Richard Burke, lovingly remembered at Christmas by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burke.

Alice M. Sharp, mother of Mrs. Irene Brennan, from Thomas G. Buckle.

Alice M. Sharp, mother of Mrs. Irene Brennan, lovingly remembered by Dr. Elene W. Farelo.

Alice M. Sharp, mother of Mrs. Irene Brennan, from Mrs. Gladys Babine.

Alice M. Sharp from Marilyn and

Joe Lynch.

Alice M. Sharp from Mr. and Mrs. William J. Fay, Jr.

Reginald Meister (Belmont) father of Mrs. Grace Gillette, from Mr. and Mrs. John S. Polioian.

Timothy E. Coy, first Christmas in Heaven, lovingly remembered by Rickie, Tanya, Suzanne and Dennis.

Little David Grinley, lovingly remembered at Christmas by his brother Edward and Family.

Cecil (Grampa) Goddard lovingly remembered at Christmas by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grinley and Family.

George (Charlie) Tebeau, lovingly remembered at Christmastime by his niece Miss Janice Quandt.

Frank Buote, lovingly remembered at Christmastime by his daughter Barbara Hentschel and Family.

In memory of Ruth, David and Catherine Justice at Christmastime from George Justice and Family.

Adrian A. Durkee lovingly remembered at Christmas by his wife Mary Durkee.

In loving memory of my dear mother Cordelia B. Farelo, at Christmastime, by her daughter, Dr. Elene W. Farelo.

In loving memory of my dear father Walter M. Farelo, at Christmastime, by his daughter, Dr. Elene W. Farelo.

Peggy Anna Longo, lovingly remembered at Christmas, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Longo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Donovan, lovingly remembered at Christmas by their daughter Mrs. Anthony Longo and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Longo, Sr., lovingly remembered at Christmas by their son, Anthony Longo and Family.

Clara E. Crotty from Co-Workers of her son, Michael at Raytheon Co., Andover.

Clara E. Crotty from George and Joyce Snively (Chelsea).

Clara E. Crotty from Reta A. Crotty (Chelsea).

Clara E. Crotty from Sadie E. and George Kalil (Chelsea).

Clara E. Crotty from Madeline Crotty (Chelsea).

Clara E. Crotty from The Wilmington Women's Club.

James Erickson, father of Mrs. Thomas O'Connors, from Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop S. Polsey.

Timothy E. Coy, on his first Christmas in Heaven, lovingly remembered by the Alfred J. Bushway Family, in Maine.

A Christmas remembrance for our little friend, Shirley Guckert from Anne Marie, Denise, Michael and Tony DeLucia.

A Christmas remembrance for our grandparents, Jeffery and Jessie Doucette from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quandt (Peabody).

Philip T. Bucherl (Florida) from Mr. and Mrs. George A. Janes.

Clara E. Crotty from Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ruggiero (Cambridge).

Alice M. Sharp from Frederick W. Finn (Medford).

Jane Graupner, special teacher and secretary of Wilmington Teacher's Assn. from George Gates and Family.

Jane Graupner (No. Reading) from Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Woodside.

John J. Fullerton, Jr. lovingly remembered at Christmas and always

by his Mother and Dad, sisters Maureen and Gale and brothers Walter, Paul, David, Robert and Patrick.

Ellen Kelley (Stoughton) mother of Mrs. Claire Kemp from Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Decker III and Son.

Alice M. Sharp lovingly remembered by her nephew Edmund S. Sharp (Quincy).

Chief Petty Officer Eugene (Buster) Shaw lovingly remembered at Christmas by his brother John McAndrew and Family.

Clara E. Crotty from Mr. and Mrs. John McAndrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Fitzgerald lovingly remembered at Christmas by their grandchildren Karen, Donna and Michael Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon D. Manson lovingly remembered at Christmas by their grandchildren Karen, Donna and Michael Fitzgerald.

Chester C. Carnes, lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife Leonora and Family at Christmas.

Thomas Whittaker (Stoneham) from The Hupper Family.

Alice M. Sharp, mother of Mrs. Irene Brennan from Maureen, John, Tom and Jack Dunn.

Luigi Santosuosso (Everett) from Concetta DeStefano (Chelsea).

Rebecca Butler (Cambridge) mother of Mrs. Joseph Murphy, from The McKenna Family.

Alice E. Crotty from Mary B. Crotty (Chelsea).

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to our friends and neighbors from Mike and Ruthann DeLucia and Family of Veranda Ave.

A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all from Mary, John and Johnnie Donato.

To our friends and neighbors on Marcia Road, we wish a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, Alfred and Priscilla Marshall.

A very happy Holiday Season to our friends and neighbors from Peg and Diz Hinman and Family of Chestnut Street.

Happy Holiday Season to our friends and neighbors is the greeting from Ralph, Dot and Ralph Decker, III of Lawrence St.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to our friends and neighbors from Paul and Louise Washburn and Family of Ballardvale St.

To our friends and neighbors, a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from Harvey and Jessie Hudson of Oxford Road.

Ellen and Bill O'Leary of 1 Federal St. send sincere and happy Season's Greetings to friends and neighbors.

Warm and friendly greetings to my dear friend Mary Schwamb, in the nursing home from Susan Larsen of Glen Road.

A very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to Mrs. Avis Hinman in Florida from the Walter Hinman Family.

NOTARY SOCIETY ELECTS
FRANK S. VALLETTA

Frank S. Valletta of 12 Oak Court has been elected to membership in the American Society of Notaries, a nonprofit organization of persons who hold the office of Notary Public.

Mr. Valletta is Controller for National Polychemicals Division of Stepan Chemical Company on Eames Street.

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I deeply appreciate the many kindnesses accorded me during my first two years of serious illness. 1 year out of 2 years in the hospital is hard to take, especially when one reaches the age of 73.

My comrades of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Disabled American Veterans have been so kind. Over 500 cards were received during my hospitalization at the New England Memorial Hospital. Their visits to my room were so thoughtful.

I was a part of the Memorial Day Parade this year, but my fiftieth was my "Last Hurrah". Just think, veterans - Life member of all 3 Veterans' organizations. Fifty years of service to veterans and the people of the state. I trust that Dear God Blesses All the town's people with Health and Happiness for many future years.

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THE WILMINGTON FIRE
(From Page Nine)

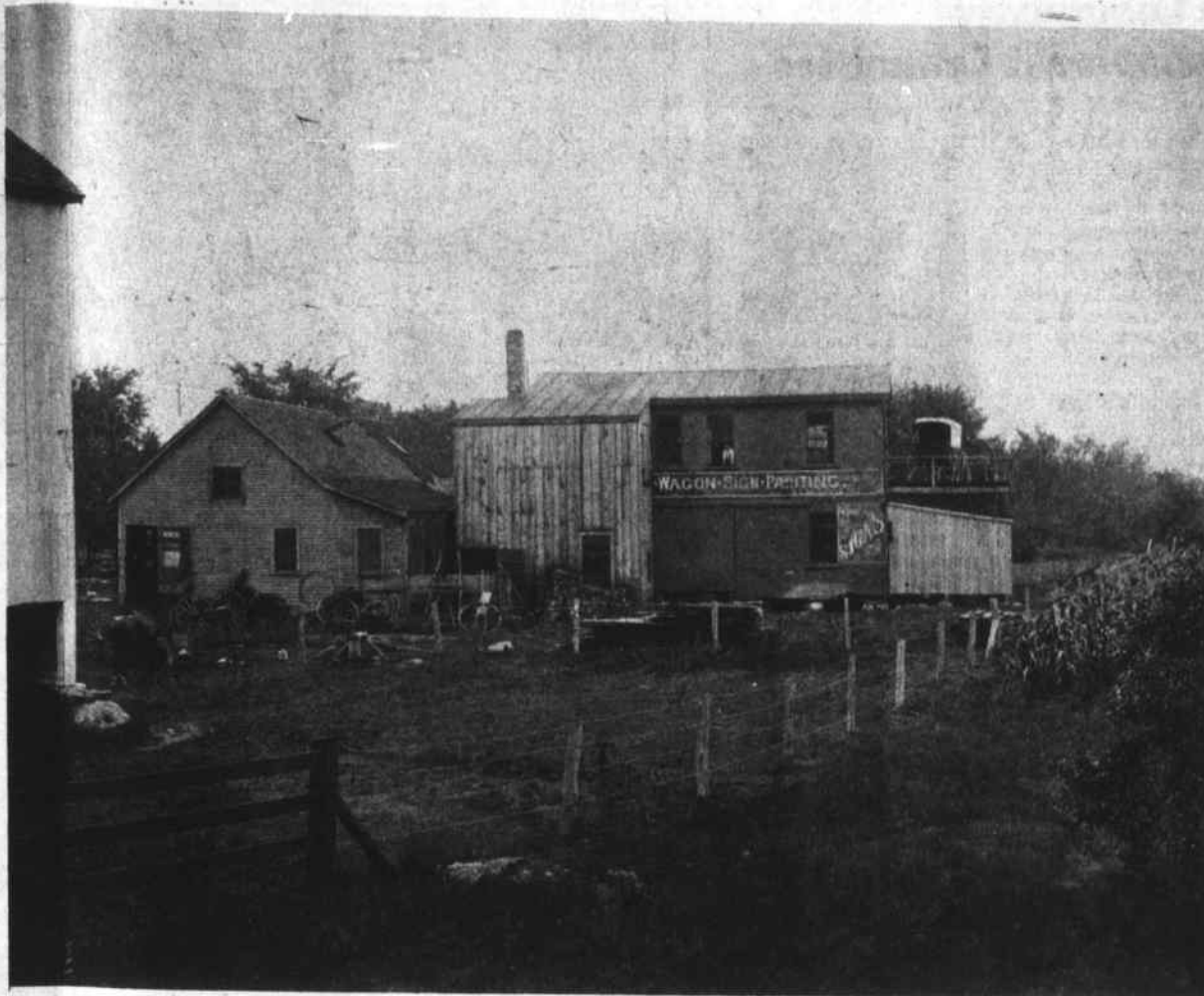
SCHAMIEL'S PLACE OF BUSINESS. Schamiel, incidently, was named after a ship that his father had commanded, before the Civil War. The view is looking down Church Street. The last house on the right is still in existence, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert. Main Street goes off to the right. This was also taken during the time that Herb Barrows was rebuilding the approaches to the Burlington Avenue bridge.



ANOTHER PICTURE OF SCHAMIEL'S BUSINESS: Showing, in the center, a part of the painting shop. Notice the sign with word Painting.



SCHAMIEL'S BLACKSMITH SHOP: Visible in two of the preceding photographs, is more closely shown here, in this photo by Edward Abbott and J. Frank Doucette of Stoneham. The man at left in the doorway is believed to be Schamiel.



THE PAINTING SHOP: In back of the parking lot behind the Church Street Hardware. The wagon on the second story, about to be painted, is typical of the butcher wagons used in Wilmington about that time, when Wilmington butchers sold meat all over Eastern Massachusetts.



THE RUINS: Of Schamiel's place of business, after the fire. The Gilbert home is at extreme left.

When the Wilmington Volunteer Fire Department was organized in 1903 the first thing that had to be done was to get fire fighting apparatus.

Fire Departments in that day usually had two horse drawn wagons per company, one wagon having the pump and the other carrying a supply of hose. Then, as now, the hose would be neatly flaked down, and after having been attached to a pump, or hydrant, the driver of the wagon would drive the horse towards the fire, - the hose would be dragged from the wagon and would lie along the ground, ready for use.

There were at least two kinds of pumps in the horse drawn wagons.

In cities where there was a permanent fire department, the pump would be a "steamer". A coal burning boiler would be mounted on a wagon. The steam generated would supply power to a pump. One often sees pictures of this type of apparatus, being driven to fires with wild-eyed horses pulling the wagons.

The other way to supply power for a pump was by muscle. Human muscle power was always available at any fire, willingly supplied by both the Volunteer Fire Departments and the spectators.

Hand pumps were mounted on wagons. On each side were levers to which four men could stand comfortably, and six or eight with some crowding. There would be a dozen men at the pump, at any one moment, and another dozen or two standing by to "spell" the men at work, for it was a lot of fun to work in synchronized unison like that.

Of course there had to be a source of water. Some was carried

in a barrel mounted on the wagon, but that would last only for a few minutes. A lake, a pond or brook would be needed.

A good well could supply plenty of water, but one in short supply of water meant that the firemen would soon pump it dry, and if the fire wasn't out by that time there was no way to put the fire out. The firemen could just stand and watch the house burn down.

Wilmington bought two pumps (hand, of course) and two hose wagons, for its volunteer Fire Department, in 1903. The pumps were second-hand, being six years old. They were purchased from the manufacturer, the Howe Company. The price was \$600.

There aren't many of those old time hand pumps left. Occasionally one or two is to be seen at a Fireman's Muster, and occasionally there are contests between crews, to see who can pump harder, and thus "throw" a stream of water the greatest distance.

That kind of contest was alive in Wilmington fifty or more years ago, before the Wilmington Fire Department became motorized.

When the Department became motorized the hand-pump wagons were no longer needed and were put aside. The North Wilmington fire station was torn down.

But then, in the early 1920s the people in the Silver Lake part of town felt that they needed more fire protection. There were more trains in those days, on the "Wildcat Railroad" and it was felt that the motorized apparatus might be held up by a long train.

The hand pumper from the No. 1 Wilmington fire station was thus transferred to Silver Lake, and a Silver Lake Volunteer Fire Department was formed. Harry

Miller captain.

Miller Road, off Glen Road, is named for Harry. He lived down there, to the right.

The pumper was stored in a shed on the farm of Christian "Pop" Neilson, and when needed Pop would supply the horses.

The writer doesn't recall any instance in which the Silver Lake Fire Department got to a fire before the Wilmington Fire Department, but possibly that did happen.

The Silver Lake Volunteer Fire Department organized whist parties and other socials, for the purpose of raising funds.

There was another function, which took place on Sunday afternoons, in hot weather, say July and August. That function was to have "practice runs" to the site of the old Union Ice Company, off Grove Avenue, where the Mildred Rogers School was later built.

The Union Ice Company had 17 ice houses on that site, if memory serves correctly. The ice would be harvested in the winter and shipped to Boston in the summer. There was a spur railroad track which crossed Grove Ave. and came from the B&M, and on that track thousands of tons of ice would leave, by freight car, every summer.

The ice houses were no longer used, in the mid-twenties, and they were torn down or otherwise destroyed. Huge piles of sawdust remained (sawdust provided the insulation). Those piles gradually burned up, during the summer months, the fires starting by spontaneous combustion. No one paid much attention to the fires, unless they got really bad - they were in an isolated field, and the lake was on one side and the street on the other.

But, on a hot day in August, when the Silver Lake Fire Department wanted a practice run, there was the fire in the sawdust piles, waiting to be put out!

The could practice putting out fires for hours.

And, if there happened to be a keg of beer in the tank through which the water flowed, that beer was really cold, at the end of that practice.

That was a subject on which no one spoke. Prohibition was the law of the land, and alcoholic beverages were not allowed.

But, after a good long practice session at the old Union Ice Company site, there would always be a social hour, down behind the carriage shed on Pop Neilson's farm.

The Silver Lake Volunteer Fire Department broke up, just before 1930. Old No. 2 Pumper remained at Pop Neilson's farm, though, for another half dozen years. It stood in the carriage shed, and the children who played around that farm had a real old fire engine to play with. Eventually it was stored elsewhere, perhaps because of the death of Pop Neilson, and the subsequent sale of the old farm.

Half a dozen years ago, the men in the Wilmington Fire Department refurbished old No. 2. They took it to Firemen's Musters, in Middlesex and Essex Counties.

It stood in front of the Fire House, when not being used. Then it was given to a museum, where today it is in good hands.

The Community Development Committee

Brian Bedell of Chestnut Street has been appointed a member of the Community Development Committee by Town Manager Sterling Morris. His appointment, it is believed, brings the nomination period to a completion.

The Town Manager told the directors of the Chamber of Commerce last week that the Community Development Commission will not concern itself with the planning or expansion of residential properties, but there will be no limitations on its interest in commercial and industrial properties.

William Stark of Andover Street, who is a full time employee of the Commission has great expertise in management, Morris said. His wages are coming from funds supplied by the Federal Government, and he will act as a coordinator with the Town Manager in relation to the Re-Development Authority and similar work. Stark is to develop a set of maps showing available land in Wilmington.

Stark is also charged with implementing the Financial Model Programming work at Avco, for the town - work that has now been in the planning stage for several months. Another subject into which he will look is the sewer and water systems of Wilmington.

Andover Discussion

Last Monday the Community Development Commission had as its guest, Wolf Berthold of Andover, who for the past five years has been in charge of Industrial Development in that town. Mr. Berthold is a retired employee of



WOLF BERTHOLD, Of Andover, well relaxed, tells of his experiences in getting industrial firms to locate in that town. Also in the picture are Stanley Cady of Church Street, and Bill Stark of Andover Street.

Western Electric

The Industrial Development of Andover works closely with the Industrial Development Committee of Lawrence, Berthold said. The Lawrence Committee is appointed by the Mayor, and has invited both Andover and Methuen to participate. The committees meet in Lawrence, on Tuesdays.

The Andover Committee had \$5000 a year to spend for several years. Now the expenses are only several hundred dollars a year. When they started they employed a few planning consultants.

Berthold summed up the experience of his committee as: Know Your Community; Know the Needs of Your People; Know Your Facts; and Keep a Sense of Humor.

In the past five years there has been a \$5 million increase in industrial expansion in Andover, Berthold said.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH

Rectory Phone No. 658-4665. Masses: Saturday Vigil at 5 and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. and 12 noon; First Communion Mass at 9:15 in Villanova Hall; Weekdays at 9 a.m. Baptisms: First and third Sundays at 2 p.m.

Youth center: The Youth Center will be closed Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve and New Year's Day.

Christmas Masses: Confessions Friday 4 - 5:30 and 7:30 - 9 p.m. in preparation of Christmas Day. Masses for Christmas will be Midnight, 7:15, 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. and 12 noon. There will be no Christmas Vigil Masses or Saturday Vigil Masses. There will be no First Communion Mass at Villanova Hall on Sunday, December 28th or January 2nd.

CCD Classes: After this week religious classes will not resume until January 3rd.



CYNTHIA ANNE POOLE IS ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy S. Poole of 160 Georgia Road Tewksbury have announced the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Anne, to Kurt W. Hinxman, of 147 Chestnut Street, Wilmington.

Miss Poole is a graduate of Tewksbury Memorial High School and is employed at Sweetheart Plastics in Wilmington.

Mr. Poole, a graduate of Wilmington High School, is serving with the National Guard. A spring wedding is planned.



MARJORIE GAMBLE TO WED KENNETH BUTLER

Mrs. Ann R. Gamble of 30 Marion Street announces the engagement of her daughter, Marjorie Jean, daughter of the late Mr. Gamble, to Kenneth B. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm S. Butler of 13 West Street.

Marjorie is a graduate of Wilmington High School and Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, and is currently employed in the Wilmington School System.

Mr. Butler is also a graduate of Wilmington High School and Northeastern University and is, presently attending Gordon Conwell Seminary.

An August 12th wedding is being planned.

HERE COMES SANTA!

Cub Scout Pack 59 held its Annual Christmas Party at the Methodist Church on Friday, December 17th.

Prior to the beginning of festivities, the following awards were made: Eric Larson - Bobcat Pin, Thomas Cannon and David Max-

well - Wolf Badges, Terry Moore - Gold Arrow and Service Star, Eddie Case - Silver Arrow and Andrew Pedersen - Artist, Athlete and Scientist Badges.

Following the presentation of awards, Santa Claus made a visit and distributed gifts to the

Cubs and guests. Refreshments were served and Santa led the group in the singing of carols.

The next committee meeting will be held on Monday, January 3rd. The next Pack Meeting is scheduled for Friday, January 28th.



A SENIOR SCOUT, Makes his way to the platform, at the Christmas Party for Pack 59, Cub Scouts, in the Methodist Church last Friday.

Photography by John L. Reid

NORTH SUBURBAN YMCA WINTER SCHEDULE

All fall instructional programs of the North Suburban YMCA were ended on Saturday, December 11th. Basketball Leagues, swim and diving teams, gymnastics and team handball programs will continue as directed by the coaches.

Babysitting and winter classes will begin the week of January 10th - 15th. Kiddy Flicks program will be announced after Jan 1st.

The following courses will be offered, beginning January 10 - 15:

Social & Technical: Arts and crafts, kiddy flicks, Y Indian Guides, YMCA Ski Club, College boards preparatory, the ABC's of useful math, Yoga, mom & tot Yoga, charm and personal improvement, fine arts, modern dance, folk guitar, personal growth seminar, a laymen's introduction to dynamic psychology, basic investment planning, military careers counseling.

Pool Instruction: Mom & tot, tiny tot, beginners and advanced beginners, intermediate and swimmers, technique swim, swim team (Vikings), diving team and diving class, men, all levels, women, all levels, synchronized swim, scuba and handicap swim.

Gymnastic Programs: Tiny tot, gym, primary gym, gymnastics, junior leader's club, handicap gym, golf, judo, movement education for women, slimmastics for women, women's evening fitness, men's fitness club and family nite gym.

Registration: For all classes

will be accepted Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Holiday closing: On December 24th, the YMCA will be closed at 12 noon. It will re-open on Monday, December 27th. December 31st, the YMCA will close at 6.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Willis P. Miller, 658-4519 or 658-8217.

Thurs. Dec. 23rd: Eighth Grade MYF Party.

Fri. Dec. 24th: 7 p.m., Family Christmas Eve Service with carol singing, telling of the Christmas Story by the Pastor with Victor Ola (His Master's Voice) and candle-lighting service: 11 p.m., Traditional Christmas Eve Communion Service including Music by the Chancel Choir and the Pastor's Communion Meditation.

Sun. Dec. 26th: 9:30 and 11 a.m., Worship Service, Kenneth Butler preaching.

Wed. Dec. 29th: 6 to 9 p.m., Christmas Family Celebration.

NAVY MOVIE TODAY

The local Navy Representative, is initiating a new concept of Navy Representation for the Lowell area.

This will be accomplished via movies depicting the many skills available to young people via the Navy life.

The first in this series will be shown at the Navy Representatives office at Room 201, Federal Building, East Merrimack St., Lowell, today at 3:30 p.m.



MERRY CHRISTMAS

As joy and laughter fill the air during the Christmas season, we wish to take a moment to add our best wishes and thanks.

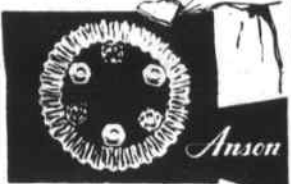
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TICKETS TO THE ROTARY LADIES NIGHT: Were won, Sunday night, by two home owners of Wilmington, who were adjudged by a touring team of Rotarians to have the best Christmas Displays in town. The event is to be held some time after the first of January.

It is all a part of the Winter Carnival. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Costa of 16 Dorothy Avenue (above) was judged to be second best, and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Belmont, of 39 West Street was given first place.



SALVATION ARMY ON THE JOB

Christmas is a sad time of year to be in the hospital, especially if you're a little child. To help make the season brighter, Salvation Army officers, soldiers and volunteers, members of the League of Mercy, visit patients in more than 100 area hospitals and nursing homes.

A gift will brought each patient including toys for youngsters. More important are the visits, cheerful carols and warm hand-clasps for every patient to let them know that someone really cares.

BUNDLE DAYS, JANUARY 10TH TO 14TH

To help the children in Appalachia who need decent school clothing, Walter H. Pierce, Superintendent of Schools is appealing to the people of Wilmington to participate in the 40th Annual Save the Children Federation's Bundle Days Drive.

The elementary and intermediate schools will serve as local sponsors for Bundle Days, to be held from January 10th to January 14th.

American school children collected over 3,000,000 pounds of

good used clothing in the 1970-71 Bundle Days Drive. The clothing collected is distributed through the 105 Federation clothing centers in Appalachia.

ON BASKETBALL TEAM AT MERRIMACK COLLEGE

Paul Lyman, a graduate of Austin Prep, and Dennis Murphy, a graduate of Wilmington High, are members of the Varsity "B" squad, in basketball at Merrimack College.



JUDGING IS SERIOUS BUSINESS: The Wilmington Spotlighters are performing on January 15-17, in a play entitled "Absolutely Murder", and High School Juniors and Seniors have been making posters, to put up around town. Yesterday a number of judges looked over the work, to name first, second and third place, for prizes of \$15, \$10, and \$5 respectively.

Shown above are Judges Dorothy Nylin, Sally Cosman, Cynthia Mett and Carl E. Backman, Jr., hard at work.

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